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## ***Amendment***

LCO No. 3508

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To: Senate Bill No. 227

File No. 221

Cal. No. 183

### ***"AN ACT CONCERNING STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION COMMITTEE REVIEW."***

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of section 9-7b of the  
4 2014 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following  
5 is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

6 (5) (A) To inspect or audit at any reasonable time and upon  
7 reasonable notice the accounts or records of any treasurer or principal  
8 treasurer, except as provided for in subparagraph (B) of this  
9 subdivision, as required by chapter 155 or 157 and to audit any such  
10 election, primary or referendum held within the state; provided, (i) (I)  
11 not later than [two] six months preceding the day of an election at

12 which a candidate is seeking election, the commission shall complete  
 13 any audit it has initiated in the absence of a complaint that involves a  
 14 committee of the same candidate from a previous election, and (II)  
 15 during the [two-month] six-month period preceding the day of an  
 16 election at which a candidate is seeking election, the commission shall  
 17 not initiate an audit in the absence of a complaint that involves a  
 18 committee of the same candidate from a previous election, and (ii) the  
 19 commission shall not audit any caucus, as defined in subdivision (1) of  
 20 section 9-372. (B) When conducting an audit after an election or  
 21 primary, the commission shall randomly audit not more than fifty per  
 22 cent of candidate committees, which shall be selected through the  
 23 process of a lottery conducted by the commission, except that the  
 24 commissioner shall audit all candidate committees for candidates for a  
 25 state-wide office. (C) The commission shall notify, in writing, any  
 26 committee of a candidate for an office in the general election, or of any  
 27 candidate who had a primary for nomination to any such office not  
 28 later than May thirty-first of the year immediately following such  
 29 election. In no case shall the commission audit any such candidate  
 30 committee that the commission fails to provide notice to in accordance  
 31 with this subparagraph;"

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	9-7b(a)(5)
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